#### PERMANENT IMPROVEMENT PROJECT INITIATION FORM TOTAL BUDGETED PROJECT COST PROJECT Public Announcement System 10th fl Probation \$26,000 PROJECT LOCATION REQUESTING AGENCY AGENCY CONTACT **EXPENSE TYPE** CRITERIA COMP **FCCH** Atiba Jones 462-7492 Maintenance PROGRAM PROJECT MANAGER PROJECT NUMBER FUNDING TYPE FUND NO. Persons PET0720 Contract 1000

#### PURPOSE AND JUSTIFICATION

The Common Pleas Court - General Division, Adult Probation Department is requesting a new PA System that will allow Probation support staff to communicate with probationers, relevant clients and Probation Department staff in an effective and safe manner. The nature of the work conducted in the Probation Department, puts staff at risk of physical harm. Therefore, a reliable PA System is essential for the organization and coordination of offenders in the 10th floor reception area, as well as to alert staff if there is an emergency or uprising. The current PA System has been fully inoperable for several years. The department has explored several alternatives, including a pager system, but none have proved to be adequate or cost effective for the need.

## ADVERSE IMPACT

With out the addition of a new PA System, the Probation Department will be unable to adequately manage a high number of probationers in the reception area or direct probationers to the appropriate staff office or area, putting staff and visitors at safety risk. The reception area is a high traffic area that easily becomes congested. The department services, on average, over 1050 probationers a week, these probationers become agitated when there is a lack of communication causing excessive wait times. A new PA System will allow for better management of probation reporting, creating a safer and less frustrating situation for staff and clients.

## OPERATING BUDGET IMPACT (YEARLY)

FTE REQUIRED:

BARGAINING: 0
NON-BARGAINING: 0

## OPERATING BUDGET ADJUSTMENTS:

SERVICES & CHARGES: \$ MATERIALS & SUPPLIES: \$ OPERATING CAPITAL: \$ CAPITAL EQUIPMENT: \$ -

TOTAL: \$ -

## COMMENTS

The P.A. system is needed to promote safety, security and communication in the Adult Probation department. The PA system will also ensure that probationers receive information in a clear and concise manner while reporting to the department. Lastly, it will allow staff to more appropriately maintain the organization of the reception area. The Common Pleas Court is in the process of implementing Court Performance Standards (CPS) and, in addition, the Adult Probation Department is in the process of preparing for "American Correctional Association" (ACA) accreditation. In order to address Court Performance Standard 1.2 (1.2.6) relating to Safety, Accessibility and Convenience, the Probation Department must have efficient and effective means of communicating with both personnel and the Court's users, the probationers. In addition, this method of communication is imperative to ensure the safety of both staff and probationers. In relation to ACA, Standard 3-3025 requires that the Probation Department ensure that all equipment is in good working order and that more efficient equipment should be acquired

#### LIFE CYCLE INFORMATION

				MATERIAL COST		LABOR COSTS							
LINE NO.	ITEM	UNIT OF MEASURE	QUANTITY	UNIT COST	,	TOTAL	MANHRS MANDAYS	AVERAGE RATE	TOTAL		OTHER DIRECT COSTS	LINE TOTAL	
1	Paging System	EA	1	21800	\$	21,800			\$	-		\$	21,800
2					\$	-			\$	-		\$	-
3					\$	-			\$	-		\$	-
4					\$	-			\$	-		\$	-
5					\$	-			\$	-		\$	-
6					\$	-			\$	-		\$	-
7					\$	-			\$	_		\$	-
8					\$	-			\$	-		\$	-
9					\$	-			\$	_		\$	-
10					\$	-			\$	-		\$	-
11					\$	-			\$	-		\$	-
12					\$	-			\$	-		\$	-
13					\$	-			\$	-		\$	-
14					\$	-			\$	-		\$	-
15					\$	-			\$	-		\$	-
16					\$	-			\$	-		\$	-
17					\$	-			\$	-		\$	-
18					\$	-			\$	-		\$	-
19					\$	-			\$	-		\$	-
			TOTAL	_s	\$	21,800			\$	_	\$ -	\$	21,800

ROJECT Public Announcement System 10th fl	Probation	ТС	TOTAL BUDGETED PROJECT COST \$26,000						
EQUESTING AGENCY	PROJECT LOCATION	ON	AGENCY CONTACT	EXPENSE TYPE	CRITERIA				
COMP	FCCH		Atiba Jones 462-7492		Maintenance	G			
ROJECT MANAGER	PROJECT NUMBER	R	PROGRAM		FUNDING TYPE				
Persons	PET0720		Contract		GF		1000		
			ESTIM	ΞS					
TOTAL MATERIAL COSTS	\$	21,800	PRIOR YEARS	0%	\$	_	_		
TOTAL LABOR COSTS	\$	-	2001	0%	\$				
TOTAL OTHER DIRECT COSTS	\$	-			·	-			
TOTAL DIRECT COST	TS \$	21,800	2002	0%	\$	-			
			2003	0%	\$	-			
OVERHEAD	0.0% \$	-	2004	0%	\$	-			
SUBTOTA	AL \$	21,800	2005	0%	\$	-			
PROFIT	0.0%	-	2006	0%	\$	-			
TOTAL CONCEDUCTION COO	T: \$		2007	100%	\$	26,000			
TOTAL CONSTRUCTION COS	1: \$	21,800	2008	0%	\$	-			
A/E SERVICES	0.0% \$	-	2009	0%	\$	-			
CM SERVICES	0.0%	-	2010	0%	\$	_			
CONTINGENCY	15.0% \$	3,270	2011	0%	\$	_			
			2012	0%	\$	-			
TOTAL ESTIMATED PROJECT COS	T: \$	25,070	BEYOND	0%	\$	_			
TOTAL BUDGETED PROJECT COS	-	26,000	TOTALS:	100%	\$	26,000	=		

# OTHER INFORMATION (OPTIONAL)



